

MIXED UP.

Everything of Local Form To be Found That is of Interest.

MONDAY.

The Common Pleas Court will convene next Monday.

J. M. Morrison sold two thrashing machines last week.

If the stock ordinance is defective—and it surely is—the City Council should proceed to amend it. Stock can be found running at large in all parts of the city day and night.

A little ill, then a little pill. The ill is gone the pill has won. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the little pills that cure great ills. J. Maple Wilson.

Newspapermen, drummers and everybody else say Cape Girardeau is the best town on earth, and yet some of our people are not happy. They do not appreciate their greatness.

The editor of the Jackson Cash-Book did not attend the editorial convention. Frank was afraid to get too near a big brewery.

The write-up that we will get from the Southeast editors will do us more good than the write-up we got from the St. Louis Republic's correspondents.

Circuit Court is in session at New Madrid this week.

We might tell you more about One Minute Cough Cure, but you probably know that it cures a cough. Every one does who has used it. It is a perfect remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness. It is an especial favorite for children, being pleasant to take and quick in curing. J. Maple Wilson.

Editor Chew of the Madison County Democrat delivered a splendid address to the Normal students while the editors were at the Normal School Saturday morning. Mr. Chew is a man of brains and a fine talker.

Unless the St. Charles Hotel is opened on or before the 22nd of July private families will have to care for some of the people who will come here to attend the Democratic Congressional Convention. That convention will bring five or six hundred people to the city.

The Southeast editors were so well pleased with this city that they will probably hold their next meeting here.

The Southeast editors all went home yesterday. They were delighted with their trip to the Cape and they will give us a good send-off through their papers.

Nineteen editors from abroad attended the editorial convention in this city Friday and Saturday.

The Cape Brewery and Ice Co., has established a beer depot at Commerce, and hereafter the Commerce people will drink Cape beer.

The Board of Education will meet next Monday night to transact the regular business and elect teachers for the ensuing scholastic year.

The Fire Company turned out Saturday night and gave a display of our ability to fight the fire. The display was given for the benefit of the visiting editors.

It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine; better result; better try it. J. Maple Wilson.

Peter Hoeller informs us that the army worms destroyed thirty acres of meadow on his farm two weeks ago.

Editor Caruthers of the Dunklin County Democrat met many old time friends in this city. Mr. Caruthers spent several years in this city when he was a boy and he remembered many of the old people who resided here then. He was pleased to see the Cape growing so rapidly.

Died, near Dutchtown, Mo., May 16th, 1896, Phillip A. Wingerter, aged 38 years. The deceased was a brother of Tony Wingerter of this city and the funeral took place from the residence of Mr. Wingerter on Lorimer street.

TUESDAY.

Dr. A. P. Sawyer: I have been troubled with rheumatism and lung trouble for a number of years, can say I never had any thing help me like your Family Cure.

MRS. H. WINGART.

Lena, Ills.

Sold at J. Maple Wilson's drug store.

The right way and the only way to open up the St. Charles Hotel is to get up a stock company. The more men interested in the company the better for the business.

It is not a miracle. It won't cure everything, but it will cure piles. That's what DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will do, because it has done it in hundreds of cases. J. Maple Wilson.

Harry Albert returned home to-day on the steamer Idlewild.

At its meeting last night the City Council passed a bicycle ordinance. Now let a curfew ordinance be passed and the city will have the dudes under control.

It's all the same, a slight congested lungs or severe cough. One Minute Cough Cure banishes them. J. Maple Wilson.

The City Attorney has recommended that the stock ordinance be amended so that if a cow drops down from heaven our City Marshal can take her up without offending his religious scruples.

A large crowd will go from here to Springfield on the 22nd of July to attend the Republican State convention.

The editors who were here last week were well pleased with our hotel accommodations. They said they were nicely treated.

Take a dose of DeWitt's Little Early Risers just for the good they will do you. These little Pills are good for indigestion, good for headache, good for liver complaint, good for constipation. They are good. J. Maple Wilson.

WEDNESDAY

The Mississippi River is on a boom and there is some fear of an overflow.

The Board of Pension examiners examined several old veterans to-day.

Mr. R. E. Gannon and lady returned home to-day from Cairo where they had been to attend the funeral of P. Fitzgerald.

William F. Baumann and Annie Barenkamp were united in the holy bonds of matrimony in the German Catholic church this morning. Rev. Father Prunette officiating.

The Cape Brewery and Ice Company will furnish a special brew for the picnic next Monday.

Dr. A. P. Sawyer:—Dear Sir: Mrs. Hamburg induced me to try your Family Cure, I was greatly benefited by it and I recommended it to every lady in poor health. Respectfully,

MRS. ASHER.

Sold at J. Maple Wilson's drugstore.

St. Mary's school picnic will be held at Miller's Grove next Monday and Monday night. Everybody is cordially invited to attend this picnic and a pleasant time is assured.

Merchants say business is picking up but they are not doing the business they ought to do.

The DEMOCRAT will reproduce the comments of the Southeast editors on their reception in this city at the editorial convention last week. We are satisfied the boys will give our town a good send-off and we propose our readers shall read what they say.

Busy people have no time, and sensible people have no inclination to use a slow remedy. One Minute Cough Cure acts promptly and gives permanent results. J. Maple Wilson.

Farmers in this section of the country say the Hessian fly is damaging the wheat crops. Some fields, we are informed, are almost totally destroyed.

A. J. Kerfoot, so far the hero in the Kennett Railroad receivership, is in the city. He came up from Kennett to get a shave and a shine.

THURSDAY.

Burns are absolutely painless when DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is promptly applied. This statement is true. A perfect remedy for skin diseases, chapped hands and lips, and never fails to cure Piles. J. Maple Wilson.

The graduating exercises of the Lincoln School will take place in the Colored Masonic Hall next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Peter Lehner came in from Jackson yesterday evening and went out to Advance this morning.

Father Cuddy, manager of the College farms, informs us that Cokie's army (the worm) has destroyed all the meadows on the lower College farm.

If you are bilious, try Dr. Sawyer's Little Wide Awake Pills, you will find them just what you want. Try a free sample. They do not gripe. Sold at J. Maple Wilson's drug store.

Two ferry boats in a fight to the death are doing this city lots of good. Let the business go on.

The steamer Idlewild will bring a party of excursionists down from St. Louis Saturday.

For the first time in several weeks our old Democratic friend, Eleazar Block, was able to be down town this afternoon.

Dr. A. P. Sawyer: Dear doctor I have used and sold your Family Cure with excellent results. It cured me of the rheumatism and I now am 50 years old and have not an ache or pain.

MRS. F. A. RHODES.

Sutherland, Iowa.

Sold at J. Maple Wilson's drug store.

Judge Ross tells us that he will rush the business of the Common Pleas Court next week so as to dispose of all the jury cases if possible the first week.

There will be an adjourned term of the County Court on the 24th day of June.

The Missouri Press Association will go on an excursion from St. Louis to Memphis on an Anchor Line steamer, leaving St. Louis June 5th. The boat will reach this city June 6th and lay how long enough for the editors to see our city.

The grand old "father of waters" is booming, the gauge reading 22 feet above low water mark and rising.

Judge Medley went out to the Cape Brewery to-day while he was in the city. He was surprised to find such a big enterprise in the city. He had no idea, he said, that there was so much money invested in the brewing business in this city.

The Cannon property fronting on Main street and the Levee will be sold at public auction at the court house next week. This is a chance for some one to get some fine building lots.

Our court house needs painting and the County Court should be asked to look after it.

Misses Ida Woody and Katie Carroll, two of the assistant teachers in our public school, who have been visiting Mrs. David Mann since school closed, left yesterday per steamer City of Hickman for their home in Cape Girardeau. In their departure New Madrid society loses two of its most charming members, but only for a short time, as they will be with us again in the early autumn. —Southeast Missourian.

The School Directors of the city met at the office of Dr. O'Bannon on last Friday and received teachers' applications for the next term. The same teachers were employed to conduct the school for next year. Mr. Pepper being retained as principal. There were no other applicants and the contract will be the same as it was last year, the same salary being paid. This shows well for Mr. Pepper and his assistants. They are good teachers, pleasant and agreeable and have made many friends in the city. —Southeast Missourian.

FRIDAY.

W. H. Miller came in on the 1:30 train from New Madrid and he took the afternoon back for Jackson. He had been attending Circuit Court at New Madrid.

The continued rains will put our farmers behind with their farm work. Many farmers are not yet done breaking their corn ground.

Dr. Margaret Vorbeck of St. Louis will be here May 23rd and open up an office at Mrs. A. Kaechel's, corner Spanish and Morgan Oak streets.

They have a canning factory at Oak Ridge and the farmers up in that section of the country are cultivating such vegetables this year as will find a market at a cannery.

The river is rising at the rate of two feet every twenty-four hours and it is beginning to look dangerous to the farmers on the low lands.

For every quarter in a man's pocket there are a dozen uses; and to use the greatest benefit is a question every one must solve for himself. We believe, however, that no better use could be made of one of these quarters than to exchange it for a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, a medicine that every family should be provided with. For sale by I. Ben Miller, may 1st 96.

We have heard that August Ude would probably be a candidate for County Treasurer but we do not believe he will.

Dr. Augusta Smith of St. Louis, Mo., will be in Cape Girardeau, May 25th, for one week at Riverside Hotel. All chronic invalids invited to call. Consultation free. d-w-20

Certificates of incorporation have been filed in the office of Recorder Betten by the Mercantile Town Mutual Insurance Company and the Oak Ridge Canning Co.

Scott Wilkinson of the Jackson Comet says the people of Cape Girardeau are certainly a hospitable people. He was here at the editorial convention and shared our hospitality.

Dr. Margaret Vorbeck treats all catarrhal diseases, diseases of chest and throat. Female diseases a specialty. Consultation free. Office at Mrs. A. Kaechel's, corner Spanish and Morgan Oak streets.

Judge Sam Hitt went out to-day to look for washouts on the Jackson Gravel road.

Dr. Frank Williams has fitted up two nice dental rooms in the second story of the Fougere building.

W. V. Leach expects to auction off the balance of his furniture to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock. If it don't rain it and buy a cheap set of furniture.

The creeks are all bank full and the river is rising rapidly and if the rain continues to fall some of our farmers are going to be hurt before many days.

Ladies who have consulted Dr. Augusta Smith before should not fail to give that lady a call at the Riverside Hotel next week. She will remain in the city one week only.

Porter vs. I. M. R. Road.

This celebrated case wherein Judge Ross of the Common Pleas Court was so sharply criticised for his ruling, and instructions to the jury has been passed on by the Court of Appeals, and Judge Ross fully sustained, and the finding of the trial court affirmed. This is hard on Mr. Porter, but it is the law and all must submit.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

Proceedings of the City Council—Adjourned Regular Session.

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 18TH, 1896.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, William H. Coerver, Mayor, in the chair, and the following members present: Messrs. Bierwirth, Blomeyer, Campbell, Dempsey, Kimmel, Lind, Vogel-sang.

Absent. Mr. Galusha.

The following report from the Judiciary Committee was presented and read:

To The Hon. Mayor and Council. GENTLEMEN: We, the Judiciary Committee, in accordance with a resolution introduced May 4, 1896 and instructions, submit for your amendment and approval a "General Sprinkling" and also "Bicycle" ordinance, also the written opinion of our City Attorney, regarding stock running at large upon private property unenclosed. (Signed.) H. GRAHAM DEMPSEY, GEO. G. KIMMEL.

On motion of Mr. Bierwirth said report was received and ordered filed, and the "Bicycle" ordinance referred to in said report, entitled "An ordinance regulating the use of bicycles on the public streets and other public places, and prescribing penalties for the violation," was taken up and read for the first time.

On motion the ordinance presented by said committee, entitled "An ordinance providing for sprinkling streets and for issuing special tax bills to pay for same," was also taken up and read for the first time.

Said Judiciary Committee completed their report by submitting the opinion of the City Attorney, referred to in said report, which was read, as follows:

Mr. H. G. Dempsey, Chairman of Judiciary Committee, Sir: In reply to your question submitted to me at the request of the City Council, as to whether the City Marshal and policemen can take up a cow or other animals, under Sections 597 and 598 of our Revised Ordinances, when found (unguarded and untied) upon a private but unenclosed lot in this city, I will say that, if said animal has come upon such private and unenclosed lot by passing over, and while running "at large on any street, alley, square, commons or levees" of this city, then it is subject to be taken up by the Marshal and policemen; but if any animal so found on an unenclosed lot should be taken up and the owner should prove that said animal had not come upon said lot by passing over and while "at large on a street, alley, square, commons or levees," then it would have to be released.

I suggest that our Marshal's difficulty may be removed by amending said Section 597 by inserting the words "or unenclosed lot" after the word "levees" in said section.

Respectfully submitted, (Signed.) B. F. DAVIS, City Attorney.

Mr. Blomeyer moved that the communication be received and filed with the report of the Judiciary Committee, and that said committee, with the assistance of the City Attorney, be instructed to prepare and present to this board an ordinance amending said Section No. 597 of ordinance No. 489, as suggested in said communication.

The vote being in doubt, the Yeas and Nays were called, for resulting as follows:

Yeas. Blomeyer, Dempsey, Kimmel, Lind, 4.

Nays. Bierwirth, Campbell, Vogel-sang, 3.

The Mayor declared said motion carried.

In the matter of petition of William Burgess, asking that the taxes charged against him as Guardian, referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances at meeting of May 4th, said committee reported as follows:

To The Hon. Mayor and Council. We, your Committee on Propositions and Grievances, beg leave to report in regard to the petition of Wm. Burgess, that we have fully investigated the matters referred to therein and believe that Wm. Burgess was erroneously assessed for the years 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1893 and recommend that the taxes for the years mentioned be stricken off and the Collector credited with the amount.

Respectfully, (Signed.) E. F. BLOMEYER, GEO. G. KIMMEL, H. GRAHAM DEMPSEY.

On motion of Mr. Bierwirth said report was received, concurred in and ordered filed.

Concerning the petition of property owners to grade and gravel Independence street from Pacific street west to city limits, read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means at meeting of May 4th, said Committee submitted the following report:

To The Hon. Mayor and Council. Your Committee on Ways and Means hereby report in regard to petition for improvement of Independence street from Pacific street west to city limits, as follows:

1st. That we have fully investigated and considered said matter and find that there is insufficient funds in the

General Revenue fund of the treasury to pay for said improvement at this time.

2nd. The State laws and ordinances provide when there is insufficient funds in the General Revenue fund, that the cost of bringing any street to grade shall be assessed to the owners of property abutting thereon, as well as the graveling, etc., of said street. (See Rev. Ord. p. 51, Sec. 109., also p. 310, Sec. 620, Ord. 494.)

3rd. We are also informed by the City Attorney, that the city can not issue special tax bills against the property of Mrs. Painter abutting on said part of Independence street, for the reason that said property is in excess of forty acres and has not been laid off in lots and blocks and a plat of same filed for record. (See Rev. Ord. p. 11, Sec. 2 Charter.)

4th. We desire to call the attention of the Council to the fact that a resolution for improving Good Hope street, also a resolution for the improvement of South Frederick street have long since been passed by the Council and have not yet received the endorsement of the Treasurer on account of a lack of funds.

5th. If the petitioners, Mrs. Painter, as well as others, will subscribe or guarantee the necessary amount to improve said part of Independence street, we recommend that the work be done. (Signed.) HERMAN VOGEL-SANG, E. F. BLOMEYER.

On motion of Mr. Kimmel said report was received, concurred in and ordered filed.

The Committee on Claims asked for and were granted further time in which to report on claim of John Grieb referred to them at a previous meeting.

A petition from Citizens of the Third Ward, complaining that the water supply at the public watering place in said ward is insufficient, and praying the board to enact some rule or regulation whereby said supply would be sufficient, was presented and read and on motion of Mr. Bierwirth referred to the Water and Light Committee, with instructions to carry out the prayer of petitioners, also to investigate the condition of the other public watering places and if necessary see that a sufficient water supply is furnished, and for said Committee to confer with the Manager of the Water Company in reference to placing a guage in some conspicuous public place, showing the pressure from the reservoir at all times, and to ascertain, as near as possible the cost of putting in such guage.

The following petition was presented and read:

To The Hon. Mayor and Council. The Trustees and members of the First Baptist Church respectfully request permission to build a stone and plank wall along the outer line of the sidewalk on the east of their church building along Spanish street; said wall to begin at the inner line of Broadway sidewalk and extend north the length of their building.

The reason for said wall is for ornamenting their church property.

Done by order of the First Baptist Church trustees this 18th day of May 1896. (Signed.) J. MAPLE WILSON, Secretary.

Mr. Bierwirth moved that said petition be received and filed and the prayer of petitioners granted, on the condition however, that said Trustees will agree to remove said wall when called upon to do so by the City Council, at any time. Carried.

The following bills read at meeting of May 4th and referred back to the different parties to be certified to as required by law, were again read as certified:

Northwestern Stamp Works, 200 dog checks, \$3 50

St. Francis Hospital board and nursing Bruce, 7 00

Lee Hitt, two piek handles, .20

A. Walther, coffin for Pauper (County), 4 00

Dr. J. D. Porterfield Med. attendance McFarland, 6 00

On motion of Mr. Kimmel said bills were allowed and the Clerk instructed to issue warrants on the General Revenue fund in payment of same.

A communication from the Fire Chief in reference to Siamese coupling and ball nozzle, with bill for same, recommending their purchase, was read and action deferred until next meeting.

Mr. Kimmel, Chairman of the Building Committee, having called the boards attention to certain needed amendments to Ordinance No. 527, (Building Permits, etc.) Mr. Bierwirth moved that said Committee prepare and present to the board an ordinance embracing the necessary amendments to said ordinance. Carried.

On motion of Mr. Bierwirth said Committee was also instructed to have put in, a sky-light in the Court House roof opposite the first landing of the stairway leading to the tower, the cost of same not to exceed fifteen dollars, and was further instructed to purchase

and have placed in the City Park, six benches for the use of the public.

On motion of Mr. Blomeyer the Judiciary Committee was instructed to prepare and present to the board an ordinance establishing rules and restrictions, and such other matters relating to the Public Square and City Park as said Committee in its judgment may deem proper; also for said Committee to draft an ordinance regulating stock yards and submit same to the board.

An ordinance entitled "An ordinance regulating the use of Bicycles on the public streets and other public places and prescribing penalties for its violation," was on motion of Mr. Blomeyer, again taken up and read for the second time.

On motion of Mr. Dempsey said ordinance was read for the third time, the same being its final reading.

Mr. Blomeyer moved to adopt said ordinance, the vote resulting as follows:

Yeas. Bierwirth, Blomeyer, Campbell, Dempsey, Kimmel, Lind, Vogel-sang, 7.

Nays. None.

Absent. Mr. Galusha—1.

The Mayor declared said motion carried and the ordinance adopted.

An ordinance entitled "An ordinance providing for sprinkling streets and for issuing special tax bills to pay for same," was again taken up and on motion of Mr. Bierwirth read for the second time.

Mr. Bierwirth moved that said ordinance be referred to the Judiciary Committee with instructions to amend same, so that said sprinkling can be paid for, and the special tax bills for said sprinkling collected by the city. Carried.

On motion of Mr. Bierwirth the board adjourned.

GEO. E. CHAPPELL, City Clerk.

John A. Snider Banqueted.

JACKSON, MO., May 19, 1896.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—The Pastime Club, a social organization of this city, banqueted the Hon. John A. Snider last Friday evening in the dining room of the Central Hotel.

The affair was not intended as a political endorsement of Mr. Snider's candidacy, but was made the occasion by his friends regardless of party to show their good feeling toward him and to congratulate him on his success in winning the Republican Congressional nomination at Poplar Bluff.

A toast—"Our Honored Member"—was responded to by Edward D. Hays, President of the club. Mr. Snider made a brief address.

The following toasts were heard. "Our Club," by M. B. McNeely; "Our Town," by Dr. J. L. Jenkins; "The Social Side of Politics," by W. B. Schaefer; "After the Banquet is Over," by Dr. G. S. Cannon.

Joseph Schmucke was toastmaster for the evening.

List of Mail Matter

Remaining uncalled for in the post office of Cape Girardeau, county of Cape Girardeau, State of Missouri, for the week ending May 18, 1896.

Clark, Donnie Ebert, Alford Alongy Henderson, Lizzie (2) Jackson, Mr. Lin Hardiger, Mrs. C. E. Stewart, W. J. 1 parcel

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say "Advertised," giving date of the list. If not called for within two weeks they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington City. O. CRAMER.

Lorimer School Picnic

The annual picnic for Lorimer Public school will be given at the Fair grounds on Saturday, May 23rd, inst. Teachers and pupils will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly. Be ready to take an early start, and let's have a good time.

T. E. JOYCE, Prin.

The Boston Star

Says Dr. Kauffmann's great on diseases, its causes and home with fine colored plates, is the work ever published. A copy will sent free to anybody who sends 2-cent stamps, to pay postage, P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass.

Lincoln School Picnic.

To those whom it may concern, greeting:—After learning the desires of the patrons of Lincoln School, the teachers thereof have decided to have the picnic at the Rock Levee on Wednesday, May 27th inst.

By order of the Board. Respectfully, J. S. COBB, Prin.

Notice.

I wish to warn all musicians in the city against piano tuners using a name endorsing their work, unless they can produce recommendation of my signature.

R. M. SUTHERLIN, Manager

Hucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheumatism, sore eyes, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, if used. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale Blomeyer & Haman.